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Ruben et al.

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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION
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Attention: Certificate of Correction Branch
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Madam:

Upon reviewing the above-identified patent, Patentee noted typographical errors which should be corrected.

In the Specification:

At page 3, column 1, replace the first paragraph with the following:

-- This application is a continuation of and claims benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 of copending United States patent application Serial No. 09/621,011, filed July 20, 2000, now U.S. Patent No. 6,878,687, which claims benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 and is a continuation of United States patent application Serial No. 09/148,545, filed September 4, 1998, now U.S. Patent No. 6,590,075, which claims benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 120 and is a continuation-in-part of United States patent application Serial No. PCT/US98/04482, filed 6 March 1998, which claims benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) based on the following U.S. Provisional Applications: --

At page 3, column 2, after line 28, insert:

-- 92. Sept. 5, 1997 60/057,650

93. Aug. 22, 1997 60/056,884 --

Support for these corrections can be found in the Examiner's Amendment mailed September 14, 2005 (as to the first paragraph) and in the specification as filed on October 19, 2001 (as to the priority).

The errors were not in the application as filed by applicant; accordingly no fee is required.

Transmitted herewith is a proposed Certificate of Correction effecting such amendment. Patentee respectfully solicits the granting of the requested Certificate of Correction.

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